

REMARKS

Claims 1 through 3, 5 through 66, 74, and 77 through 86 are currently pending in the application and subject to an Election of Species Restriction Requirement. Applicants have amended claims 1, 29, 66 and 74 herein.

Applicants hereby elect, without traverse, to prosecute the species of invention as set forth in claims 66, 78, 79, 83, 84, and 85, illustrated in drawing figures 11, 12A, 12B, 13 and 14A-19D.

Applicants consider claim 66 to be generic to all species of inventions and claims 78, 79, 83, 84, and 85 to be generic at least with respect to the elected species and the species identified by the Examiner as being illustrated by drawing FIGS. 11, 12A, 12B, 13 and 14A-19D, and note that upon allowance of a generic claim, any claims depending therefrom in a non-elected species would also be allowable.

Please Note Information Disclosure Statements

Applicants wish to draw the Examiner's attention to the Information Disclosure Statements filed with the Office on May 17, 2004, July 27, 2005, and December 7, 2005, and respectfully request that the documents or other information referenced therein be made of record in the present application and that initialed copies of the PTO-1449 forms be returned to the undersigned attorney evidencing same.

Should any of the documents, or portions thereof, be unavailable to the Examiner for any reason, please contact the undersigned attorney, who will supply same immediately by facsimile or other suitable method of delivery.

Applicants request an action on the merits of claims 66, 78, 79, 83, 84, and 85.

Respectfully submitted,



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